

PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 2887.0250

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re	Application of:	)
SHIN	GO TANAKA et al.	)
Applic	cation No. 10/671,804	) Group Art Unit: 2446
Filed:	September 29, 2003	) Examiner: Farhad Ali
For:	MASTER COMMUNICATION DEVICE, SLAVE COMMUNICATION DEVICE, COMMUNICATION CONTROL APPARATUS, COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, AND COMMUNICATION CONTROL PROGRAM	) Confirmation No. 9918 ) ) ) )

**Mail Stop Amendment** 

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In reply to the Office Action mailed December 15, 2008, the period for response having been extended to April 15, 2009, by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please reconsider the above-identified application in light of the following remarks:

Remarks/Arguments begin at page 2 of this paper.